

## FAIRVIEW.

May 4, '08.

Ben Pratt and wife, of Dodsonville, spent Sunday at the home of C. A. Lemon.

Mrs. Earl Stroup and baby are spending this week with her father, J. W. Hart.

M. Rooney and wife, of Greenfield, came down Saturday for a visit with their uncle, Lewis Ludwick.

Mrs. Hattie Burton, of St. Martins, attended church here Sunday and visited relatives.

Mrs. Henry Saum and children were guests of relatives near Weberton the first of the week.

Married by Rev. Murch Thursday Henry Pence, Mt. Zion and Miss Laura Drake, of South Liberty. They are receiving the congratulations of their many friends.

Mrs. M. W. Overman, of Hillsboro, visited relatives here Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Hart and daughter, Miss Mary, are making a week's visit with Mrs. Rodney Vaughter near Hamilton.

Mrs. Haller and Miss Grace, visited friends here Sunday.

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Tess—Miss Meanley is just as spiteful as she can be. Did you hear about what she said to May on her wedding day.

Jess—You mean May who married old De Sember?

Tess—Yes. She said she wished them both long life.—Philadelphia Press.

The prices of meats of all kinds in Germany are high and steadily advancing, and there is great suffering among the laboring classes because they are unable to buy the same oftener than once a week, and then only in limited quantities.

"I have been taking some moving pictures of life on your farm."

"I think so."

"Ah, science kin do anything these days."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"How do you succeed in insuring so many people?"

"I look them over, and then I look doubtful and offer to bet them a dollar that in their present state their application for insurance would be rejected."—Houston Post.

## Obituary.

Lewis Coffman, son of Lewis and Magdaline Coffman, was born the 23d day of December, 1835, at the place now owned by Sanford Moler, in Clay township, Highland county, O., and died at midnight April 21st, 1908, age 72 years and 5 months.

He was brought up on the farm, his boyhood days were spent in assisting his father in clearing the ground and doing other farm work. He had but little opportunity for an education. The free school law was not in force at that time and parents had but little opportunity for educating their children. About all the schooling he got was after he was 21 years of age. He attended for two months the first public school built in this district. Nevertheless under these disadvantages he acquired a fair business education. He was a great reader and always kept thoroughly informed on the live issues of his time.

He was brought up like most of the boys in pioneer days. Their first lesson, when large enough to carry an ax, was to cut down trees, pile the brush and burn it, preparing for next year's crop. When they could get a day off their amusements would be hunting or fishing.

On Sundays, when opportunities would afford, he would attend church and singing school.

In June, 1855, during a meeting held by David Thompson at Buford, O., he was united with the Church of Christ. He was an active worker in the church until 1897, holding at different times the office of clerk, treasurer, deacon and elder. Then certain innovations, which he believed to be unscriptural and not with apostolic teaching, was introduced into the congregation. His faith was such that he no longer could be an active worker with these innovations. While his faith in his blessed Master grew stronger, and from his testimony from time to time, we know he was prepared to meet his Master.

He was married to Mary Florence on the 23d day of January, 1862. To this union were born one daughter and two sons. Orrisla B. was born March 6, 1863, and died at Council Bluffs, Iowa, March 20, 1893, Thomas C. was born August 2, 1864, and Ozro O. December 12, 1869.

They bought five acres of land one mile east of Buford from their brother, William, where they commenced housekeeping and farming. They lived there and farmed on his father's farm until the fall of 1865, selling his 5 acres he bought 60 acres one-half mile north and adjoining his father's farm, afterwards he purchased enough of the home farm to make 125 acres,

and there he has lived since 1865.

Mary Florence, his wife, died June 24, 1898. He then sold his personal property and went West to visit his sons and brother John. This was the only time he ever was away for an extended time, his love for his old home was so great that he soon returned to his farm.

On September 20, 1890, he was married to Lizzie Livingood, who survives him.

He always took an active part in local affairs. Politically he was a staunch Republican, holding various township offices for more than thirty-five years. His interest and love for the welfare of his country was so great that no influence could be brought to have change his conviction from what he believed to be right.

In his last illness he realized that the end was near and waited with Christian faith for the call of his Master.

## The May American Boy.

The fine picture of a yacht bowling along under a full speed of canvas on the front cover of the May American Boy speaks eloquently of the seashore and warm summer breezes. He will be a curious boy whom the contents of this number does not fully please. Jimmy Jones, Pirate; Four Boys on the Mississippi; and that Dillingham Boy increase in interest. Among the short stories are: Hanging a Bear, showing how presence of mind brought a boy safely out of a dangerous situation; For Uncle Jerry's Sake, a fine story of Memorial Day; Five Hundred Thousand Dollars and Management of a Railroad Saved by a Boy, is the story of a boy's pluck and determination to succeed; Major Billy, tells of the various pets of Uncle Sam's sailor boys; At the End of His Rope; a story of a boy's perilous adventure, and The Man Who Never Made Mistakes, showing that often "pride goeth before a fall." Of the larger articles: Hughie the Hittite, being a most interesting talk with Hugh Jennings, the great baseball manager, will delight every reader. Timely articles are: From Stenographer to the President's Cabinet, a short sketch of Mr. Cortelyou, Secretary of the Treasury, and How Memorial Day Came to Be. The Boy on His Muscle and the Popular Science Department will also be found of special interest, while Forty Stunts in Magic, Hints on Trapping, Keeping Tab on the World, A Paris Cemetery for Pets, Talks with the Doctor, and the various departments are full of pleasing and instructive information. In addition there are 88 illustrations. \$1.00 a year. The Sprague Publishing Co., Detroit, Mich.

## WINKLE.

May 4, '08.

Frank Huggins and family and Mrs. Harley Fender were guests of Charles Ferguson Sunday.

T. L. Sonner was a business caller at Hillsboro Saturday.

W. S. Pulliam and wife and Chas. Pagan, wife and baby were guests of Geo. Ruble Sunday.

Mrs. Mat Sonner, Ham Bennett and Wm. Stroop are on the sick list.

Winkle & Hawk shipped a car load of hogs from here last Thursday.

Prof. and Mrs. C. N. Winkle are the guests of his parents here.

Emmett Stillwell, of Hillsboro, was the guest of his brother here from Saturday until Monday.

The wet weather is making the farmers late with the work and the roads are getting bad.

Frank Borden and wife, of Sugar-tree Ridge, were guests of C. K. Moore Sunday.

Mrs. Halsey, of Mowrystown, and son, Clarence, of Gallipolis, were the guests of A. S. Calley last week.

Harry Horwitz made his regular monthly trip through here Saturday.

Mrs. John Vance and children are guests of her mother, Mrs. Robinson.

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## Obituary.

Nina Ruth Ann, second daughter of Albert and Lillie Pearce, was born April 13, 1897, and died April 21, 1909, after a brief illness from appendicitis, at the age of 11 years and 8 days. She was a bright, promising, sweet-spirited girl and will be greatly missed in the community where she lived, but will be most sadly missed in the sacred precincts of her home where fond parents, two sisters, one brother and grandmother mourn their irreparable loss. Everything was done for her that material wealth and medical skill could do or loving hearts suggest but to no avail. The family circle is broken, and Nina's gone but not forgotten. She'll linger in their memories and in their hearts she lives forever.

The family circle is broken. A voice we loved is still. A place is vacant in our home, which never can be filled. Sleep on dear Nina. You're now at rest. God called you home. He thought it best.

In 1870 the population of Manitoba was 17,000; to day it is 400,000.

Englishmen of Mid Devon have organized to wage a war on wood pigeons.

"There is one thing I dread," remarked Johnson, "and that is a premature burial."

"Don't worry about that," replied Brown; "the thing is impossible. There's no danger of your being buried too soon."—Tit-Bits.

Miss Olga—Oh, dear, I'm afraid I shall have to get some of that wrinkle eradicator they advertise.

Miss Pertly—Let me get it for you. I have a brother in the wholesale drug business.—Boston Transcript.

In Bulgaria the chief article of food is sour milk made into yoghurt. On this diet the people live to rare old age.

Farmer Barnes—I've bought a barometer, Hannah, 'er tell when it's goin' ter rain, ye know!

Mrs. Barnes—To tell when it's goin' to rain! Why, I never heard o' sech extravagance! What do ye s'pose th' good Lord hez give ye th' rheumatiz fer?—Puck.

"Her descendants boast that she came over in the Mayflower."

"Pooh! A little old tub of a sailing vessel that had a hard time to do the trip in two months! Think of the posterity that is going to boast that their ancestors came over in the Lusitania, and in four days."—Brownings Magazine.

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